BEFORE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 97-395-W - ORDER NO. 97-922

OCTOBER 28, 1997

) ORDER

IN RE: Request of Duke Water Systems, a division of Duke
Energy Corporation, that its Certificated Service Area
be Expanded to include Water Service for a Certain
Portion of Anderson County at its Existing Rates and
Charges.

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This matter is before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) for the purpose of establishing pre-filing deadlines for testimony and exhibits. Pursuant to 26 S.C. Regs. 103-869(C)(Supp.1996), the Commission hereby orders that twenty-five copies of the testimony and exhibits of the Applicant shall be prefiled on or before **December 11, 1997**, and that twenty-five copies of the testimony and exhibits of the Commission Staff and/or intervenors shall be pre-filed on or before **December 29, 1997**. In addition, parties shall serve their pre-filed testimony and exhibits on all other parties of record as required by the Commission's Rules and Regulations.

Please take notice that any party requesting modification of this schedule must file a request for such modification with the Commission.

Chairman

ATTEST:

Deputy

Executive Director

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